

# Youth Facilitation Guide FAQ

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## So, what exactly is this "Youth Facilitation Guide", anyway?

The Guide is a tool to assist with *Roadmap* facilitation with youth. It is designed for the members who will be facilitating the curriculum with youth. It also highlights different ways for members not involved in the facilitation to fulfill the requirement to help with the youth CE process.

You could also think of the Guide as the "Cliff-Notes" to *Roadmap* facilitation with youth.

## All right, so how do I use it?

The Guide can be utilized in a variety of ways. Project Supervisors and members are encouraged to use the Guide as best suits their needs. Three ways to use the Guide are:

- ⇒ Send members to the Atlas online and let them find the individual resources they need.
- ⇒ Print it off as a whole and give to members before they facilitate with youth.
- ⇒ Use it as a complementary tool to CE-related training, e.g. facilitation skills, working with youth.

## What's actually in this thing?

The Guide is split into three general sections:

- ⇒ **Section 1: General Facilitation Resources.** These resources cover general facilitation skills and are designed for members without much (or any) facilitation experience. For members who prefer to learn through more concept-oriented means, "What is a Facilitator?", "Planning Facilitation", and "Facilitating for Different Learning Styles" may be most helpful. For members who prefer to get more details upfront, the "Unit Facilitation Planning Worksheet", "Curriculum Adaptation Guidelines", and "Facilitator's Toolkit" may be more useful.
- ⇒ **Section 2: Resources for Working with Youth.** The resources in this section cover how to facilitate with youth. They are designed for members with little or no experience working with middle-school aged youth. These resources are generally more concept-oriented, although there are some specific tools and tips in each of them. For members who prefer more detail and step-by-step how-tos, the *Roadmap* Walk-Through section below may be more helpful.
- ⇒ **Section 3: *Roadmap* Walk-Through.** These resources provide a step-by-step how-to for each phase of youth facilitation. Each resource includes a high level of detail. Ideally, if a member is directly involved in facilitating all of the Units, they will not need to rely on the Unit breakdowns as much by the end of the process.